

## Local Fair Opens on Thursday

### THAT FAT BABY OF YOURS MAY WIN STAR PRIZE

Every reader and paid up subscriber is again reminded of the fat baby contest on the last day of the fair, that is, on August third in the afternoon at the hour of two o'clock.

Not altogether for the sake of making this contest popular for the privilege of giving the ten dollar bill, prize, do we again call the attention of mothers to this matter, but for the purpose of encouraging the idea of bigger and better babies not only as fair time approaches but all the time.

Quite a number of mothers have been in the office recently making anxious inquiries if they were in good and regular standing with their subscription to the Star and some new subscribers have been added to the list, all anxious to enter their little darlings.

Have you thought yet of giving your boy or girl a chance in life? This will be their first chance of earning a little money for themselves. Ten dollars now and put away in the bank or wisely invested will amount to quite a nice pile of pocket money for that boy or girl at the age of ten or fifteen. Think of it in that way!

Now mother, it is up to you to make the best of it! Of course the ten dollars, won in this way will in a sense, be yours, but in the truest sense it belongs to the baby. You will be the custodian of the money for a number of years. You could, of course, spend the money almost immediately on the baby's clothing etc. But, would it not be a good idea to save it for him against the future. If you live on a farm, for instance you could sow that amount of wheat for him next year, and the next and the next, or invest it in live stock and watch the increase. Then when the boy should be ready to graduate from high school he would have enough money of his own to enable him to go up to the University. Yes the possibilities of the Star baby prize are great. Or if you live in town and are acquainted with business, industrial or investment concerns, you could invest the prize money and the same results would come. Give your baby a chance in life. This is the golden opportunity.

"Gross-widowers" these days frequenting the different hotels and restaurants at meal time include Messrs. W. E. Washburn, A. Archibald, A. C. Armstrong, T. Murphy, F. W. Fish and others.

### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday August 5th Ninth after Trinity, 8 a. m.—Holy Communion, 10 a. m. Sunday School, 11 a. m.—matins and sermon, 7, 30 p. m.—Evangelism and sermon, Prose—The Vicar.

Next Sunday being the Third anniversary of European War a special intercession service with suitable hymns, sermon, and National anthem will be heard in St Thomas Anglican Church at 7, 30 p. m.

St Patricks Heath Sunday July 5th—2.30 Sunday school 3 p. m. Evensong—Holy Communion Prose—The Vicar.

### EVERYTHING IN READINESS FOR GREATEST EXHIBITION IN WAINWRIGHT'S HISTORY

#### SPECIAL PHOTOPLAY

On Friday evening, the closing day of the exhibition, the Elite Theatre will offer to the Wainwright public and fair visitors special photoplays, six reels in all. There will be given Blue Bird five reel feature and extra comedy reel, Elite Theatre Friday evening August third at 8 o'clock.

#### RED CROSS SOCIETY LOSES PRESIDENT MRS BOWERMAN

At a meeting of the Red Cross Society, held last Friday afternoon in the council chamber the resignation of the President, Mrs. S. R. Bowerman was regrettably accepted. Owing to over work and ill health Mrs. Bowerman was forced to relinquish the active work of the Presidency.

Since the inception of the society in November 1915 Mrs. Bowerman has held the office which she laid down last Friday. During that time the society has grown in numbers, in influence and in efficiency of its noble work. Due, no doubt, to the personality, wise judgment and guidance of its President, Mrs. Bowerman gave herself with whole-hearted earnestness to the great work of the society for the care and comfort of the "boys," sick and wounded on the battlefield.

Mrs. Bowerman knew that she would be going contrary to her physician's orders if she continued the work longer and though reluctantly, she had to press her resignation last Friday. In accepting it, it was the hope of the other members, who have faithfully co-operated with Mrs. Bowerman in the work, that after a few months rest she might be able to return to office and assume the leadership of the good work once more. Accordingly Mrs. Lasell was appointed to fill out Mrs. Bowerman term of office which would automatically end at the annual meeting at the end of October she will hold office till that time, when, it was the expressed wish of the society that Mrs. Bowerman, if she could see her way clear, would again assume the presidency.

In speaking of her resignation and of the work of the society Mrs. Bowerman expressed her deep appreciation of all who had co-operated with her in making the work of society a success, both these within the society and those who were not members. All who in any way assisted in the work during her term of office Mrs. Bowerman wishes to thank most heartily.

#### Encouraging War News

LONDON, July 31.—The official statement from British Headquarters in France tonight reports the capture by the allies of the following villages: La Bassée Ville, Steenstraete, Bixschotte, Verlorenhoek, Frezenberg, Saint Julien, Pilkem, Hooge, Westhoek and Hollebeke, and more than 3,500 prisoners.

#### Coal Oil Causes Fire

The fire department had another hurried call last Friday at noon to the residence occupied by Mrs. Ward and family near Mrs. Christensons home, but fortunately their services were not needed as Earl Boyd and a few other boys had the flames under control, being on the scene almost as soon as the flames broke out.

While young Harvey Ward was attempting to light a fire in the stove with coal oil contained in an open pail an explosion occurred which resulted in some clothing which were hanging near catching and spreading the flames. Beyond slight damage to clothing not much harm was done.

The brigade lost no time in getting into action and order prevailed amongst the men in the different departments and everything was in readiness for fighting a big fire but luckily their service were only slightly necessary and after a few hurried directions about the use of a bus of coal oil the chief and his men returned to their station.

#### PUPILS PASSED IN GRADE EIGHT EXAMINATIONS

Of the students attending the local school in grade eight and writing on the recent departmental examinations, nine have been successful.

The following is the list: Dorothy Bazely, Ada Coffield, Charles Davis, Amelia Love, Goldie Fyfe, Alexander Ross, Elvie Ross, Helen Shirley and Robert Scofield.

The successful students writing at this station from outside points are as follows: Katherine Anderson, Grace Stouffer, Bessie Redmond, Jeanette Red-Beatrice Smithson, Hazel Walker, Ethel Bordon, Muriel Lundy, Kathryn Brown, Geo. Armstrong.

Mr. Clark, in charge of the Government Exhibits, is in town busy arranging matters in the Exhibition grounds.

#### Is Despatcher Responsible?

At the coroners inquest now being held in Edmonton over the bodies of the victims of Saturday night's catastrophe on the C. N. R., the trend of the evidence seems to point to Harrington, the despatcher, as the responsible party. This was the testimony of James Thompson, chief despatcher for the C. N. R. Harrington's council is trying to establish for him a plea of overwork. Whether this will succeed in gaining immunity of treatment remains to be seen. The case is likely to be a prolonged one.

Everybody bear in mind the Great War Veterans, big entertainment in the Elite theatre on Friday evening after the picture show.

#### SCORE OF HORSES WARM RACE TRACK ON PREPARATION

#### GOOD BALL GAMES

#### THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS OFFERED, PRIZES AND PURSES

Last night the Agricultural Society met at the exhibition grounds to make final arrangements for the exhibition which commences to-morrow. The different committees completed arrangements and everything is in readiness for a smooth start, weather and other circumstances permitting. The feeling was expressed by the various members that this year would witness the greatest and best exhibition in the history of Wainwright.

Entries for exhibitors close to-day. The secretary S. D. Mills interviewed this morning by a press representative states that their arrangements for the fair, that there was on the same day last year and entries are still continuing to come in and will be received until six o'clock this evening.

Horse races have been practicing their animals during the past few days on the race track. Many owners from outside points made application but had to be denied owing to the stipulation that none are eligible outside the boundaries of the Wainwright constituency.

Many baseball teams are entered. Two town teams have been practicing for several evenings past. They are married men versus single men. Indications are that games will be hotly contested and should prove most interesting. There are the usual exhibits of stock, poultry, grains, roots, vegetables and many other things of which our district is very popular. In the ladies' work home manufactures, and such like of which many of our ladies of town and district are justly noted and for which liberal prizes are offered, there are many entries.

The childrens work is well represented, including needle work, drawing, essay, writing and cooking and should prove one of the very attractive features of this years fair.

Consulting the prize list it will be found that including the special prizes, money for the horse races etc, three thousand dollars are offered this year in prizes and merchandise. All exhibitors must be on the stand by 12 at noon the first day. The judges will complete their work and make their awards on Thursday.

Intending exhibitors will do well to make note of these facts.

The Agricultural Society decided at its meeting last night to make a charge of fifty cents for automobiles entering the grounds. Pedestrians will be charged twenty five cents each. Weather conditions prevailing, as at present, over Thursday and Friday the exhibition this year should be a record breaker.

#### NOTICE

A full list of prize winners and exhibitors of the Wainwright Fair will appear in our next issue.

MR G. A SMITH



President of the Wainwright Agricultural Society

#### Half Holiday Friday This Week

Not on Thursday afternoon but on Friday of this week will the stores close. This agreement has been entered into by local merchants taking into consideration fair conditions. Friday will undoubtedly be the big sports day at the exhibition and the crowds for the change in the day of the half holiday. But don't forget that it will be Thursday afternoon as usual next week.

Constable Shelton of Viking, has been here for the past few days.

You will find some wonderful snaps at Fraser's summer sale. White gloves in cotton, silk, chambray and life at Fraser & Co.

Mr and Mrs W. W. Yeager leave town to-day for a visit to friends and relatives in Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Victoria, and Seattle, they expect to be away a month.

Rebekahs are asked to remember that lodge meets as usual on Thursday evening. Degree practice will also be held.

This is the time of year when you have visitors or when you go away visiting. We will consider it a favor if you will let the Star know of the happenings, and your guests will appreciate the mention of their names in the local paper.

H. S. Jensen, Ed. Hodges, W. Reighill and O. Erickson motored from Edmonton to see the buffalo's here last Sunday.

"Shorty" Bryant, expert machinist of the Journal staff, Edmonton, is busy these days in the Star office setting up the new linotype machine, which will be operating soon.

Ontario is going to have a bumper crop of oats, according to the commissioner of agriculture, and needs no more rain until after harvest.

Bud Simmerman was a visitor in Edmonton this week.

L. B. Wallace is one of the latest purchasers of a Ford car. Delivery was made to him on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davey, of Dolby, have moved into town to reside. They have purchased the Reynolds' home and have settled there.

### Electric Light Co. May have Exhibit Last Day of Fair

#### Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Thomas, Heath took place last Monday to the Edgerton cemetery, the Rev. H. Wilson, of Wainwright, conducting the service. Mrs. Thomas contracted a severe cold shortly after her home was destroyed by fire last spring, which developed into pneumonia when she was taken to an Edmonton hospital where she died last Sunday, following an operation. The funeral service was largely attended by relatives and sympathetic friends.

#### Prominent Speaker Here On Sunday

August 4th is the third Anniversary of the declaration of war. All the churches of the Dominion are uniting in the common cause of setting apart Sunday August the 5th as a day of intercession and prayer for the nation. On that day Dr. G. H. Huettis of Red Deer, a prominent speaker on national problems will be here and will address the morning congregation in the Methodist church at eleven o'clock and the evening congregation in the Presbyterian church at 7, 30.

The nation realizes the fact that the church has done much to stimulate recruiting and to encourage our men who are fighting for freedom and righteousness; and the best service she may still render the nation on August 5th in unitedly interceded with God, who alone can give us the victory. On the occasion Dr. Huettis will have a stimulating and an encouraging message for every loyal Canadian who will attend the services.

Mr Wilcox of Edmonton has taken up the work of teller, accountant at the Union Bank.

Mr Burbach left on Sunday train for Sarcee Camp where he will take instructions in the work of the Canadian Army Medical corps.

Mr and Mrs Aitchison of Edmonton are visitors with Mr and Mrs W. C. Bowen.

Mr C. Bremner principal of the North Battleford High school who has been visiting his sister Mrs S. D. Mills for the past week left on Tuesday for his home in Red Deer.

The Messrs Carmichael of Edmonton who have been visitors with Mr and Mrs J. C. Church returned home on Tuesdays train.

Mr and Mrs B. N. Fraser and family are camping at Clear Lake.

Miss Helen Shirley returned Monday from a week-end trip to Edmonton.

Mrs J. A. Little was called to from Clear Lake to go to Edmonton last Saturday on account of the sudden illness of her father there.

Coming by express every day fresh fruit, to Fraser & Co.

Big bargains in fresh fruit at Fraser & Co.

Mr A. Ross, manager of the Security Elevator, left by Sunday train for Calgary on a business trip.

It is an old saying "there is many a slip between the cup and the lip". Bearing this in mind, the Electric Light Co. is working quietly but determinedly, cherishing the hope that it may surprise the people of Wainwright and the exhibition visitors on Friday night by the brilliance of our electric-lighted streets.

Should their be no misarranging of arrangements and should all their promised material arrive at the proper time Wainwright electric light bulbs will be in competition with the glorious lamps of the heavens on the last night of the fair. This much we can hope for, from a conversation with R. A. Snyder the secretary of the company.

They will, however, only attempt to illuminate the principle street or streets of the town and this in more or less of a temporary way as they will not be able to have meters installed, and householders need not expect to have their homes lighted on this occasion.

The workmen are rushing the job of placing the cross arms and insulators on the poles. The stringing of wires is also in operation and it is our sincere hope that the expectations of the company may be realized on Friday evening and we shall witness the greatest of this years fair exhibits, Electric Light.

#### St Thomas Sunday School Picnic

The St Thomas Congregational and Sunday School Picnic takes place on Thursday August 9th. Those coming are asked to meet at the church at 10 a. m. where the Conveyance Committee consisting of Mr Mann and Mr Pawling will have motors and other conveyances in readiness to bring the whole party to the picnic grounds at Parsons Lake on Wilcox farm. Any of the town people willing to assist will kindly communicate with the above mentioned gentlemen and their assistances will be much appreciated. It is an easy and a short run to the grounds.

The sports committee have drawn up an excellent program of events and games, which should provide much amusement and interest particularly the Ball Driving competition to ladies only. Should the day prove favourable a pleasant outing may be anticipated and it being the weekly half-holiday many of our townspeople will likely find their way out.

Crop reports from Saskatchewan gives the average yield at from ten to fifteen bushels to the acre. It is anticipated that that on the whole Alberta will be a little better.

Reports from Lethbridge say that farmers in southern Alberta have started cutting grain, and that the yield is very good.

Surveyors are busy to the north of town, but for whom or for what no one seems to know.

Mr and Mrs. C. W. Turner, of the Park hotel, motored to Chauvin on Wednesday.



## If you want health

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### Canadian Horses Sought

Demand for Light and Heavy Artillery Horses

Nearly three million dollars will be spent in Manitoba by the British government in buying horses for cavalry work at the front, states Hon. Valentin Winkler, provincial minister of agriculture, who is in charge of the supply of horses to the British army. The horses will be held at numerous places in the province during the next few weeks. Following the purchase of these horses, the French and Italian governments will also make large purchases, Mr. Winkler says.

At the present time the demand is for light artillery horses, weighing from 1,200 to 1,300 pounds; 15 to 16 hands high; age 6 to 9 years; price to be \$100, less the cost of shipping to Winnipeg.

Another class required is heavy artillery horses, weighing 1,500 or over; 15 to 16 hands; price \$200 or over, less the cost of shipping to Winnipeg.

All colors accepted, except white and light grey.

The president of the French and Italian commissions will also be in Winnipeg for the purpose of buying over horses and buying. These three commissions have combined to make a Canadian market.

Mineral Production Increased—Canada's mineral production for the calendar year 1916, according to a preliminary estimate just issued by the government, reached the total value of \$17,357,000, which was an increase of almost thirty per cent. over 1915, and more than \$2,000,000 in excess of any previous record. The four western provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and British Columbia had an output of \$5,000,000. The value of the output of the four provinces was \$17,357,000. The value of the output of the four provinces was \$17,357,000.

A lady had the misfortune to lose her season ticket for the railway. On the same evening she had a call from two boys, the oldest of whom she handed her the lost ticket. The lady, delighted at the prompt return of her property, offered the boys a reward for his trouble. The lad refused to accept it, telling the lady he was a Boy Scout, and that no member of the Boy Scouts is allowed to accept any return for a service rendered. Just as the coin was about to be handed back in the purse of the lady, her boy, looking up into her face, suddenly blurted out:

"But my wee brother's no a Scout."

The Limit of Meanness

The meanest man we know is the chap that borrows his neighbor's lawnmower and then kicks about it being dull.—Guelph Mercury.

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## There's a Reason

W. N. U. 1167

### Women's Suffrage in Britain

British Women's League Fight For Votes is Ended

Great Britain's women of last year long fight for suffrage. The principle was adopted in the house of commons by majority of 130 votes. Truly this is a line of almost unbreakable changes. Today Lloyd George is at the head of the government who dared to pass by an overwhelming majority, a bill enfranchising the women of Great Britain. During the summer of 1914, Lloyd George was the man who persistently opposed votes for women at the time the agitation was strongest.

War is an unfortunate lever, but nothing else than war in three years could have given to those English women, the correct perspective of women in the social, political and economic world. By lending their every effort to the cause that lay nearest, the successful continuance of the war, the women, not only of Great Britain, but of the world have succeeded in exemplifying to the nations the power of woman in grappling with national situations.

### Fatal Policy

Dr. Adams Speaks on Proposed Land Settlement for Soldiers

"The placing of returned soldiers on the land under the conditions will be a fatal policy," said Dr. J. R. Adams of the conservation commission at Ottawa, in a speech before the annual convention of the Canadian Medical Association at Montreal. The speaker said, not so much because they object to farming, but because under the present conditions, the soldier who is to be settled on the land will be at a disadvantage. The soldier who is to be settled on the land will be at a disadvantage. The soldier who is to be settled on the land will be at a disadvantage.

### GUARD BABY'S HEALTH

IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to children. The most common complaints of that season, which are cholera infantum, colic, diarrhoea and dysentery, come on so quickly that in a little time they are beyond the mother's remedies. It is the mother's duty to be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to treat them. The mother should be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to treat them. The mother should be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to treat them.

### Norwegian Traitors

Officer of Liner Accused of Giving Information to Hun Subs

An officer of a liner from Norway, who brought news of the arrest and imprisonment of two Norwegian skippers of passenger steamers, was playing between the lines of the war and Great Britain for giving information to the enemy. The officer was playing between the lines of the war and Great Britain for giving information to the enemy. The officer was playing between the lines of the war and Great Britain for giving information to the enemy.

### Utilizing Empty Cans

This Thrifty Practice is Likely to Spread

There are few countries whose people live in villages, around which are scattered the small towns. They have the chief element in the rubbish heap and have to be carried away. To most of them, the tin can is not so much a waste, but a treasure. They have the chief element in the rubbish heap and have to be carried away. To most of them, the tin can is not so much a waste, but a treasure.

### Provision For Rainy Day

Former Emperor Has Deposit in Bank of England

Property valued at \$200,000,000 from which Nicholas Romanoff, formerly emperor of Russia, has been taking for his life, have been taken from him by the provisional government. A special commission of the government has been discussing whether the land, palace and other property owned by Nicholas and estimated to be worth \$400,000,000, should be sold to the state. This commission also considered whether the property of the emperor should be sold to the state. This commission also considered whether the property of the emperor should be sold to the state.

### Bread and-Bullets

Bread was in bullet was today

The person who eats a slice of bread more than he needs, the servant who has a slice of bread more than he needs, the person who eats a slice of bread more than he needs, the servant who has a slice of bread more than he needs, the person who eats a slice of bread more than he needs, the servant who has a slice of bread more than he needs.

### Natural Parks

On the extreme Western border of the province of Ontario, there is a place where the great natural beauty of the province is found. This is the great natural beauty of the province is found. This is the great natural beauty of the province is found. This is the great natural beauty of the province is found.

### French Aerial Post Route

An experimental hydroplane postal route connecting France and Corsica will be established, it is reported, and Ajaccio, is being considered by the French ministry of commerce.

### War Work Phases

Insights Into War Britain Has to Supply for Troops War.

—Mrs. Today

Dr. Christopher Addison, minister of munitions, says that a committee of experts are considering development of the country's resources. The committee of experts are considering development of the country's resources. The committee of experts are considering development of the country's resources.

### Separation of Finland From Russia Wanted

Social Democratic Congress Passes Resolution in Favor of It

At a meeting of the Social Democratic Congress of Finland it adopted resolutions demanding the separation of Finland from Russia and the formation of an independent republic. Under the plan proposed, Russia would not have the right to keep troops on Finnish territory in time of peace or to possess any fortifications. Economic relations between Finland and Russia would be regulated as between foreign countries. The Finnish Social Democrats addressed the Social Democratic congress of all countries, especially Russia, the Russian government, which is characterized by the congress as giving adequate guarantees of the inviolability of Finland's freedom.

### The Oil for the Athlete—In Rubbing

The oil for the athlete—in rubbing—finer than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The oil for the athlete—in rubbing—finer than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The oil for the athlete—in rubbing—finer than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

### Big Land Sale

Ninety Per Cent Passed Into Hands of Farmers

An infallible sign of the prosperity of the Western Canadian farmer is revealed in the large quantities of land being bought by them every day. The land is being bought by them every day. The land is being bought by them every day.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

British Columbia Fruit Famous

British Columbia is world-famous for its fruit. The fruit is world-famous for its fruit. The fruit is world-famous for its fruit. The fruit is world-famous for its fruit.

### Doctors Poor Risks

Heaviest Losses Suffered by Medical Corps

Reports indicate that heaviest losses in the medical corps have been suffered by the medical corps. Reports indicate that heaviest losses in the medical corps have been suffered by the medical corps. Reports indicate that heaviest losses in the medical corps have been suffered by the medical corps.

### Not a Full-Blooded Scot

The train had been standing in the station for forty minutes and the Scot went to see what was the matter.

### Develop Mineral Resources

It is officially stated in London that the development of the mineral resources of the United Kingdom, which the department of munitions is undertaking under Sir Lionel Phillips, is likely to bring to the world a new era of progress.

### After the Two-Year For a Lifetime

Movies

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### EGYPTIAN LINIMENT

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### ALLIES Masters of the Air

German Concede Supremacy to French and British Fleets

That the Germans are keenly alive to the importance of the air branch to military success is revealed in a report from a German officer captured recently. The report states that the German officer captured recently. The report states that the German officer captured recently.

### COOKS' COTTON ROPE COMPOUND

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### Modern Solomon

Scene—Police court during dispute over eight-day.

Magistrate—I award the clock to the defendant.

Defendant—Then what do I get?

Magistrate—I'll give you the eight days—Sir.

### To Force Roumanians Harvest Crop

The German authorities in Roumania have made every preparation for the most rapid harvesting of the grain crop. In addition to special military detachments, labor parties have been sent to the Roumanian population and all Roumanian prisoners of war have been assigned to the work.

### Counter Check Or Sales Books

Mr. Merchant—

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### Alberta's Wool Clip

Alberta is Canada's banner wool-producing province. The wool clip of 1915 will probably aggregate 2,500,000 pounds. Shearing began about the middle of May and on the whole the larger rams lashed well on to June.

### Drop in Value Significant

The German mark has now dropped to almost half its regular value, being quoted at thirteen cents instead of twenty-four cents. The drop on the Dutch Exchange, the question is being asked whether the mark is a sign of greater safety. The amount of selling of marks indicated by the recent further fall of exchange does not seem to be sufficiently accounted for by purely commercial reasons. The Times says the significant headline, "The Mark and the Shear."

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WAINWRIGHT, ALTA., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st 1917

## FARMING THE BUSINESS OF THE HOUR

OF ALL FORMS OF productive capacity there is none more  
valuable, indispensable and steady than the application of  
human industry to the cultivation of the soil, and if there is one  
point at which order seems beginning to emerge from the pres-  
ent confusion of political and social aims it is precisely with re-  
gard to this fundamental necessity of making a better use of  
the greatest of all natural resources.—Viscount Milner.

## "THERE WILL BE NO QUITTERS AMONG THE ALLIES"

A little LESS THAN A year ago Lloyd George gave voice  
to a prophetic statement that there would be no quitters  
among the allies. So far his words are as true as the day they  
were uttered. We are beginning however, to be a little unsettled  
about Russia. Russia, Siam-Roller-like, at present, seems to be  
going backwards and forwards. But Russia will regain her self-  
control. Her history in the present war, as in other wars, would  
point that way. "Russia will go through to the death." Russia  
has been slow to arouse, but she will be equally slow to quit. The  
resentment of Russia against having been forced into the war  
is deep and she has neither forgotten nor given the fact that  
this happened at a time when he was ill-prepared and unsus-  
pecting. It is up to Kerensky or some other leader to again rally  
and arouse the deep seated indignation of the Russian people  
and they in common with their allies will fight to a finish, to a  
knock out blow. "No! There are, and there will be, no quitters,  
among the allies." Never again has become our battle cry.

## IGNORANCE, NOT BADNESS, THE FAULT OF PRESENT-DAY SOCIETY.

PRESIDENT WILSON in a recent speech gave expression to  
a profound truth that is worthy of consideration. "It may  
be a consolation for some of the leaders of commerce and the  
captains of industry to know that they may be regarded as ig-  
norant rather than bad men. Many of them no doubt are the  
victims of the prevailing order and circumstances sweep them  
of their feet as it were. What they do wish has often such a crush-  
ing effect, may not be done because they are bad men at heart."  
This is how the President of the United States puts it. "The  
fundamental truth of modern life as I analyze it is ignorance. I  
am not one of those who challenge the promoters of special in-  
terests on the ground that they are malevolent, that they are  
bad men; I challenge their leadership on the ground that they  
are ignorant men, that when you have absorbed yourself in a  
business through half your life you have no other point of view  
than the point of view of that business and that therefore, you  
are disqualified by ignorance from giving counsel as to common  
interests. If you immerse a man in a given undertaking no  
matter how big that undertaking is, and keep him immersed for  
half a lifetime, you can't expect him to see any horizon; you  
can't get him to see life steadily or to see it whole."

## THE HOPE OF COMPROMISE PEACE.

AMONGST WAR WEARY men within the last week or so,  
the phrase, compromise peace, has often been heard. In  
facing the question whether the Allies should consider a com-  
promise with the Germans short of complete victory two things  
are necessary to be considered. The one is the desirability of  
saving as many lives as possible, and the other is Germany's  
chance of winning the war. With regard to this second con-  
sideration, the German chancellor declared recently that though  
the German people were passing through a most painful experi-  
ence with regard to food supply, yet he thought they could hold  
out till the new harvest, and also maintained that it had been  
sufficiently demonstrated that they cannot be starved.

Ask on the other hand in connection with the beliefs,  
of the chancellor in the power of Germany's self subsistence  
this other question, can Germany starve England? This is quite  
possible unless the submarine warfare is soon checked more  
effectively than it is at present. The German chancellor claims  
that the submarine warfare has surpassed their fondest ex-  
pectations. However, the submarine warfare has checked before they  
finish their work and Lloyd George assures us that mastery  
over this menace is being slowly and surely attained.

With regard to the Military situation, the German Chan-  
cellor claims that things are satisfactory as far as Germany is  
concerned. He declares that the spring drive of the British  
and French has failed; that Russian gains had been balanced by  
German gains and that Italy's hope to take Trieste has perished.  
Moreover, he is not much concerned about the entrance of the  
United States, because of the great difficulty there will be in get-  
ting troops through to the theatre of war, and of the difficulty  
of getting food supplies through to them. Taking these things  
into consideration in Germany's proposals for peace, our state-  
ment owes it to themselves and to humanity on this and on every  
occasion when peace is spoken of, not to slam the door shut un-  
til the possibility of a righteous and permanent settlement has  
been gravely considered.

This is the time when you will be  
thinking of

## STEAM COAL

for your summer plowing. We have agencies for coal

From the best mines in Alberta  
and are in a position to have your orders filled for  
Yellowhead, Pacific Pass, Pembina or Humberstone  
which we can quote you at

The Lowest Possible Prices  
Let us have your order now, so that the coal will  
be on hand when you need it.

Complete Stocks of  
Bone dry B.C. Mountain & Coast Lumber

bought at last summer's prices

Now on hand with nearly  
100 cars on last years contracts  
which could not be filled then, now coming for-  
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Fir, Cedar and Spruce  
also

XXX Coast Edgegrain Shingles  
on which we can quote you the very lowest prices  
obtainable. If you intend to do any building, we  
will be pleased to show you building plans and to  
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All kinds of heavy and light  
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## "EASTLAKE" PORTABLE GRANARY

A GRANARY WE CAN RECOMMEND

The dimensions of the "Eastlake" are 12 ft. 5 in.  
in diameter by 10 ft. high at eaves. This gives a  
capacity to eaves of 935 standard Canadian bushels.  
Filling to the peak adds 80 bushels.

The Most Perfect Granary Ever Produced

THE WAINWRIGHT SHEET METAL WORKS  
F. W. FISH, PROP

## ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the  
people of Wainwright and  
district that I have purchased  
the Alberta Barn, formerly  
run by Geo. Smith. We are  
now open for business and  
invite you to give us a trial.

First class Livery in connection

ALEX OLSEN  
Alberta Barns - - - Wainwright

## DR. F. T. SHUTT DOMINION CHEMIST ON PRESERVING EGGS

The indications are that eggs  
will be dear next winter, dear-  
er than they were last winter,  
so those who want eggs had  
better put some down now,  
while they are comparatively  
cheap. Do not use salt, bran,  
saw or such mediums; more-  
over, the patent preservatives  
usually advertised as  
being so simple and effective,  
had better be adopted with  
caution. Better use something  
that has been tried and found  
satisfactory.

According to Dr. Frank T.  
Shutt, Dominion Chemist, lime  
water is one of the best pre-  
servatives and we quote the  
following from his Exhibition  
Circular No. 42.

The method of preparation  
is simply to slack one pound of  
good quick lime with a small  
quantity of water and then stir  
the milk of lime so formed in-  
to 5 gallons of water. After  
the mixture has been kept well  
stirred for a few hours it is al-  
lowed to settle. The superna-  
tant liquid, which is now "sat-  
urated" lime water, is drawn  
off and poured over the eggs,  
previously placed in a crock or  
water-tight barrel.

As exposure to the air tends  
to precipitate the lime (as car-  
bonate), and thus to weaken  
the solution, the vessel con-  
taining the eggs should be  
kept covered. The air may be  
excluded by a coating of sweet  
oil, or by sacking upon which  
a paste of lime is spread. If,  
after a time there is any notice-  
able precipitation of the lime,  
the lime-water should be drawn  
or siphoned off and replaced  
with a further quantity newly  
prepared.

It is essential that attention  
be paid to the following points

1. That perfectly fresh eggs  
only be used,  
2. That the eggs should,  
throughout the whole period of  
preservation, be completely im-  
mersed.

Although not necessary to  
the preservation of the eggs in  
a sound condition, a tempera-  
ture of 40 deg. F. to 45 deg. F.  
will no doubt materially assist  
towards retaining good flavour  
or rather in arresting that  
"stale" flavour so often charac-  
teristic of packed eggs.

Respecting the addition of  
salt, it must be stated that our  
experiments - conducted now  
throughout fifteen seasons - do  
not show any benefit to be de-  
rived therefrom; indeed, salt  
frequently imparts a limy fla-  
vour to the egg, probably by  
inducing an interchange of the  
fluids within and without the  
egg. Our advice is, do not add  
any salt to the lime-water.

Robert W. Chamber's great  
new novel in Cosmopolitan is  
making a hit. Everyone is  
talking about it. If you haven't  
started "The Rootless Sex," be-  
gin with the second instalment  
in August Cosmopolitan.

You will find the story of  
Stephants Quest one of the  
most absorbing novels you have  
ever read. It is one of Mr  
Chamber's best works.

It is not only a novel of in-  
genious plot constructed but it  
is a great narrative of a girl's  
struggle against man-made  
conventions.

Get August Cosmopolitan to-  
day. It is full of great stories  
and great pictures by the fore-  
most writers and artists of to-  
day.

Speaking of advertising, here  
is what some of the publishers  
charge for space: Ladies Home  
Journal \$8 a line or \$104 per  
line, and \$6,000 for a full page  
each issue; the back cover sells  
for \$10,000. A full page ap-  
pearance in the Saturday Even-  
ing Post sells for \$5,000 and the  
back cover sells for \$7,000; the  
centre double page in colors is  
\$12,000. As this advertising  
space is always filled, it is  
evident that advertising pays  
even at these prices.

## Comfort in the Home

The Sunshine Furnace chases chills  
from coldest corners and insures ut-  
most comfort in the home throughout  
the winter. Don't buy any furnace  
or heating plant until you have in-  
vestigated the merits of the "Sun-  
shine."

## McClary's SUNSHINE FURNACE

LONDON TORONTO MONTREAL WINNIPEG VANCOUVER  
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For Sale by Wainwright Sheet Metal Works

## MONEY TO LOAN!

On Improved Farm Lands at 8 p.c.

This is the time of the year when loans are most  
easily placed. The loan companies have plenty of  
money and inspectors can see your farm. Have  
exclusive agency for a number of good companies,  
who want to place loans in the district. Have also  
private funds to invest at 9 and 10 p.c. Your ap-  
plication is solicited.

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MAIN ST., Wainwright

CHASIN, MONDAYS IRMA, WEDNESDAYS EDGEMONT, THURSDAYS

## Midsummer Sale of Bedding Goods

White Iron Beds, Springs,  
Mattresses, Bed-couches,  
Wood cots, Child's cribs,  
and mattresses, pillows  
and comforters, et cetra

## Small Bros.

## FLOUR

No. 1 Flour  
Whole Wheat Flour  
3rd Grade Flour

Bran, Shorts and Feed for sale.

All orders of flour over 100 lbs  
delivered free of charge.

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Walton & Liddle, - Proprietors

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You can still get a real  
"Fill up" satisfying meal for 35c.

THE STATION RESTAURANT  
CANADA RAILWAY NEWS CO.



# Bargains!

## THIS WEEK

- 1 Chevrolet car, just been overhauled, with new tires on.
- 1 Ford runabout in good running condition. In first class shape.
- 2 good brood mares with colts at side.
- 1 good single driver.
- 1 used Sawyer-Massey threshing outfit. Guaranteed in good shape and a great bargain. Easy terms.

## The Buffalo Barn

Bud Simmerman

Proprietor

### THE PALACE BILLIARD HALL CIGAR COUNTER

#### Cigars.

Milanda, Moosing, Trip to Cuba, Solicitor, Baled Havana, Orlandos, Julia Arthur, Almoraz, regular 10c. Cigars, Balance of month 5 for 25c.  
Hand made Pittsburg stogies, 12 for 25c.  
Optimo, a 15c. cigar, balance of month 3 for 25c.

#### Cigarettes.

Blue Line and Dardanelles silver tip, reg. 15 for 10c.

#### Tobaccos.

King Edward and Torpedo, reg. 10c. tins 4 for 25c.  
Dominion mixture, regular 25c. tins 20c.  
Smilax and Pommeroy chewing plug, regular 10c straight, 3 for 25c.

You need the goods, we need the money

### The Palace Billiard Hall

If you intend buying a small Tractor buy a

## PEORIA TRACTOR

Takes the place of horses for every farm operation, and uses cheap kerosene at all loads,—sold by

### SAMUEL LEWTHWAITE

At the old premises Opposite the rink

also John Deere Plows, Discs, Wagons, Spreaders, Grinders, Brockville Buggies, Mellotte Cream Separators, Van Slyke Plows.

### CONFERENCE FOR SOCIAL LEADERSHIP TO BE HELD IN CITY

Under the auspices of the Department of Extension of the University of Alberta, a conference for social leadership will be held from August sixth to tenth, in the University buildings, Edmonton south. The conference is designed to attract all classes of men in every business trade or profession. The solution of problems of social life in Alberta will be the object of the meetings. Teachers, farmers, ministers and all others desirous of seeing the possibilities of life in Alberta realized are invited to attend.

The work of the Extension Department of the University, under the leadership of Mr. A. E. Ottewill has been meeting with great success, and is of inestimable value in the up building of the social and educational life of the province.

The conference this year will be addressed by some of the ablest men in western Canada and those who attend are assured of hearing the problems of leadership in Alberta dealt with by men who are specialists in their several lines. Such problems in the life of the province, as agricultural physical welfare of the country community, the co operative movement, the Church, the Minister, and religious education, will be discussed by the specialists.

All information regarding reduced railway fares, entertainment at the University, registration fee, etc., can be had by application to A. E. Ottewill, University of Alberta, Edmonton south, Alberta.

### EDGERTON NEWS

Several of the towns people are camping at Arm Lake including Mr and Mrs P. Stratton Mr and Mrs T. Backus, Rev G. H. and Mrs Backus Arm Lake promises to rival Clear Lake as a camping resort this year.

Many will regret to hear of the death of Mrs Scollan, the wife of the manager of the federal elevator here. She has been in failing health for some time. Sympathy is expressed with Mr Scollan and Buddie.

The funeral of Mrs Thomas of Heath took place here on Monday last.

The pulpit at the Methodist church on Sunday morning last was occupied by Rev Vernor Miller, who exchanged with Rev G. H. Backus.

A United Patriotic service will be held in Edgerton on Saturday Aug 4th at 3 o'clock commemoration of the 3rd Anniversary of the Declaration of War. The sermon will be preached by E. H. Maddocks the collection will be for the Relief of the Armenian and Syrian Christians, who have suffered much at the hands of the Turks.

Visitors from here to the Unity Fair report a good time.

Congratulations are extended to Mr and Mrs Irvin Watson who were married in Edgerton on July 21st. A shower was held in honor of the bride (Miss Pearl Tennant) at the home of Mrs W. Warnock.

### Tenders

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees School District No 3402 Wainwright Alta at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer, up to noon August 1st for the erection of a frame school building. Plans and Specifications seen at the Wainwright STAR. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

D. W. Hanson Seely-Treans Wainwright Alta July 17th 1917.

STRAYED—From the premises of the undersigned one red bull with white spots on forehead, few white spots on belly, Branded J. B. with half circle above on the right shoulder. \$10 dollars reward will be paid for the catching of this animal and notifying J. Blaine, Wainwright 43-57

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LIMITED

Wainwright

Alberta

Patrons shipping from Greenshields, Heath and points east will ship on the afternoon train, and their cans will be returned the following morning together with money order.

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JUST think of the time the Ford saves a busy farmer in hauling milk to the cheese factory—vegetables, butter, eggs and poultry to market—fruit to the railway station. One fruit grower, last season, made four trips a day to the railway station, a total of 144 miles, and carried as high as 72 crates of 11 quarts each on a trip. He couldn't have made more than one 36 mile trip a day with a team.

The Ford soon pays for itself in the time it saves the farmer. With help so scarce, every farmer needs to make use of every precious minute of his time. To him the Ford car is a real necessity. Indeed, some farmers tell us that it is doubtful if they could carry on their farm work under present labor conditions if it wasn't for the time the Ford saves them.

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Runabout	\$475
Touring	495
Coupelet	695
Town Car	780
Sedan	890

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Manager 101st Street

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J. WELCH,

MANAGER



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world for you.

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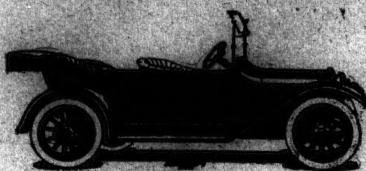
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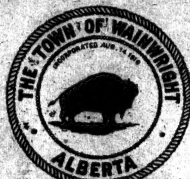
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